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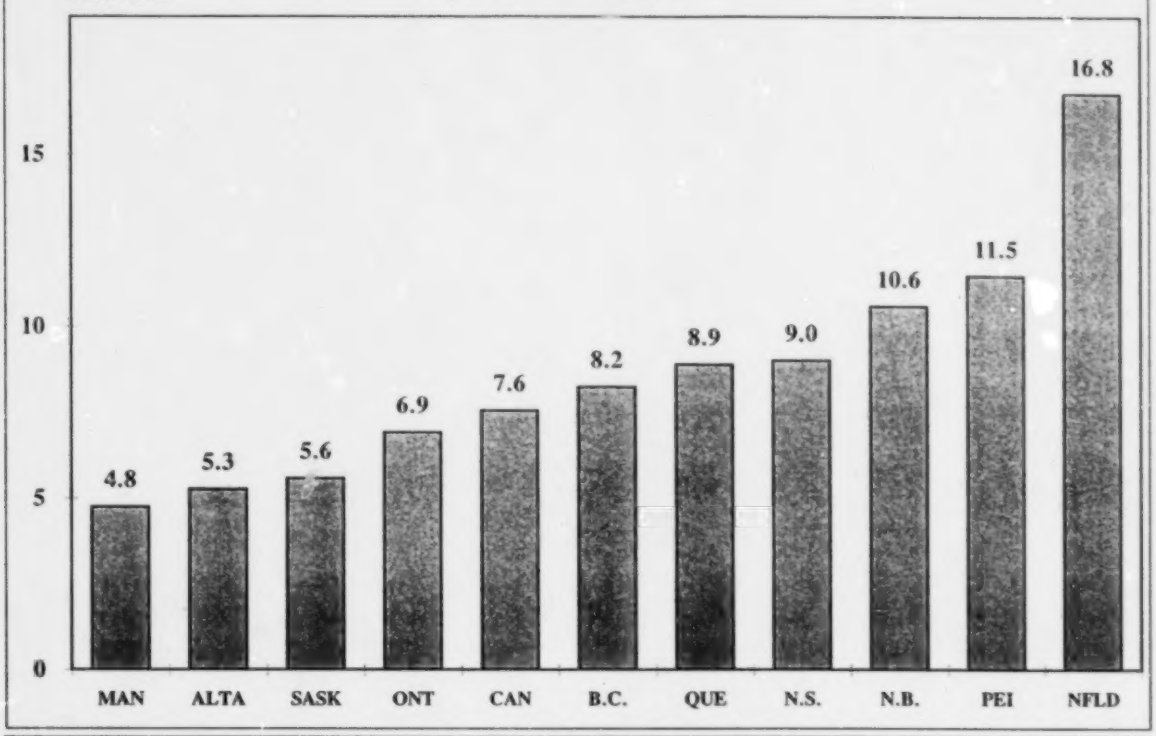

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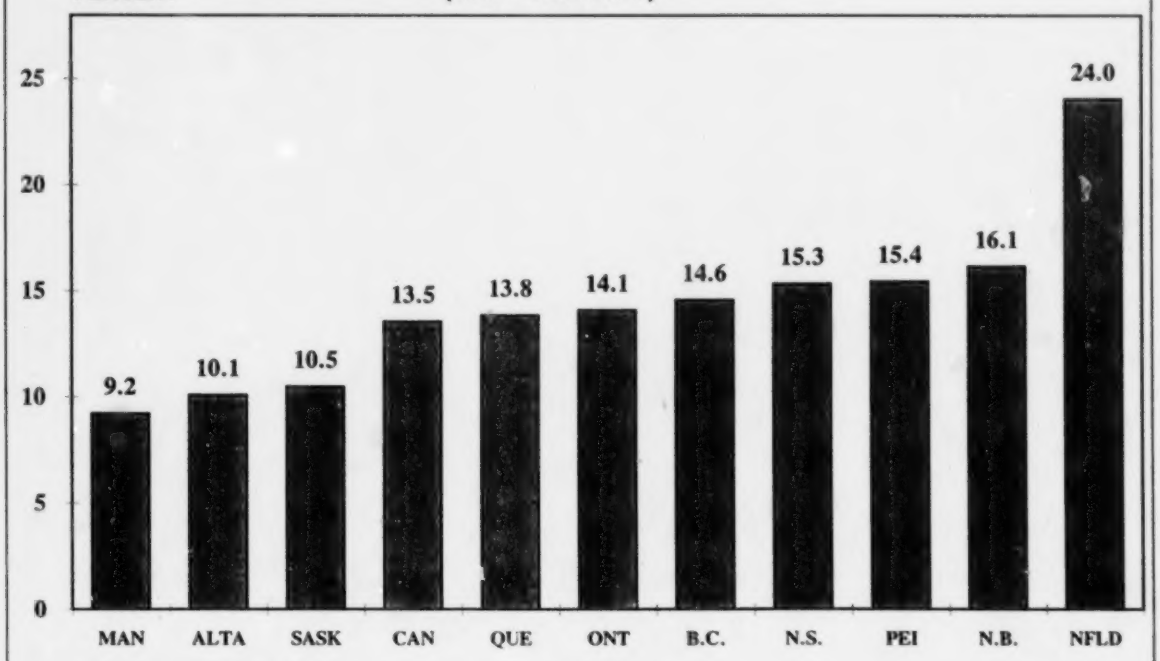

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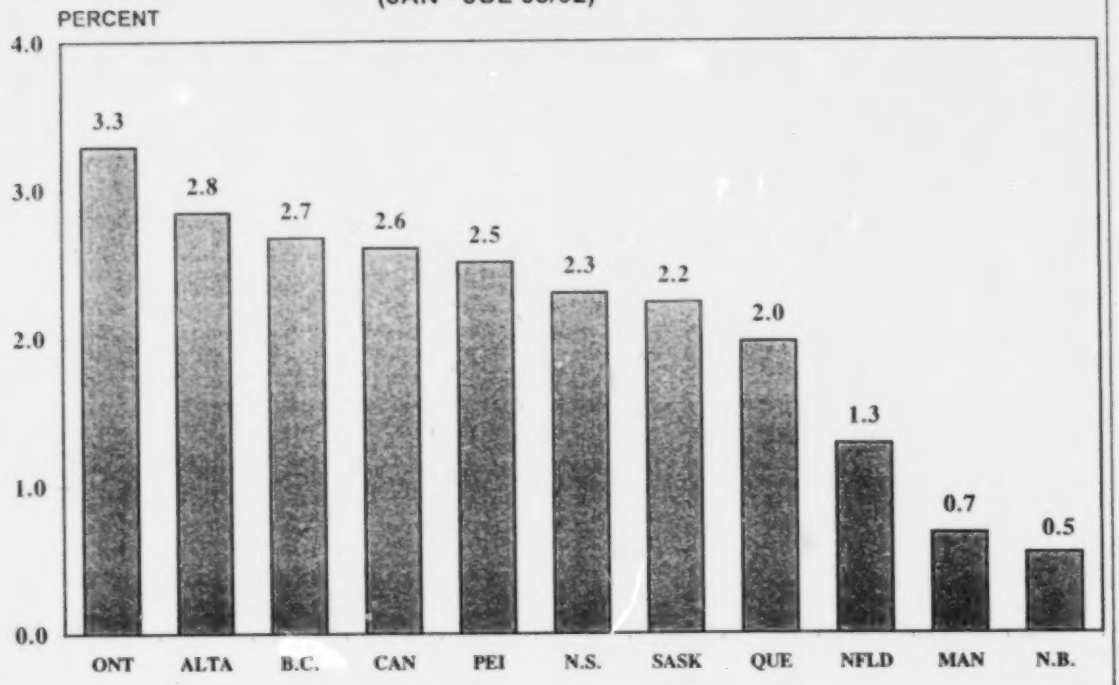

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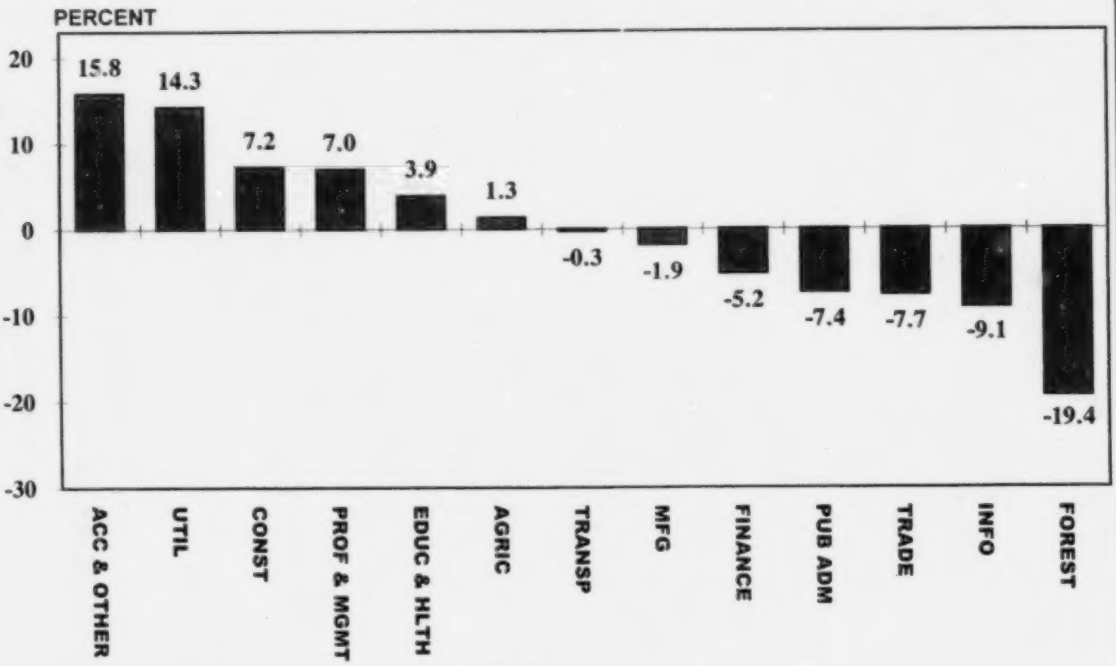

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	MANITOBA			CANADA		
	JUL 03	JUN 03	JUL 02	JUL 03	JUN 03	JUL 02
LABOUR FORCE						
seas. adj.	601,500	596,900	599,800	17,042,400	17,042,500	16,700,700
actual	610,800	604,600	609,400	17,465,900	17,319,300	17,131,800
EMPLOYMENT						
seas. adj.	571,100	569,500	568,600	15,720,600	15,733,900	15,430,800
part time	113,600	110,700	119,100	2,961,900	2,979,500	2,858,400
men	34,300	33,600	36,800	916,800	917,800	884,900
women	79,300	77,200	82,400	2,045,100	2,061,600	1,973,500
full time	457,400	458,800	449,500	12,758,800	12,754,500	12,572,400
men	270,200	271,600	268,000	7,469,000	7,475,700	7,400,500
women	187,300	187,200	181,500	5,289,700	5,278,800	5,171,900
actual	579,100	579,900	576,900	16,090,400	16,074,600	15,810,900
UNEMPLOYMENT						
seas. adj.	30,500	27,400	31,200	1,321,800	1,308,600	1,269,800
actual	31,700	24,600	32,600	1,375,400	1,244,700	1,320,900
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE						
seas. adj.	5.1	4.6	5.2	7.8	7.7	7.6
actual	5.2	4.1	5.3	7.9	7.2	7.7
PARTICIPATION RATE						
seas. adj.	69.3	68.8	69.3	67.5	67.5	66.9
actual	70.3	69.7	70.5	69.1	68.6	68.6

DATA SOURCE: STATISTICS CANADA

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TABLE 1 (CONTINUED): PRINCIPAL LABOUR FORCE INDICATORS, MANITOBA AND CANADA

	MANITOBA					CANADA				
	PERCENT CHANGE		YEAR-TO-DATE AVERAGES			PERCENT CHANGE		YEAR-TO-DATE AVERAGES		
	JUL 03/ JUN 03	JUL 03/ JUL 02	JAN-JUL 03	JAN-JUL 02	CHANGE 03/02	JUL 03/ JUN 03	JUL 03/ JUL 02	JAN-JUL 03	JAN-JUL 02	CHANGE 03/02
LABOUR FORCE										
seas. adj.	0.8%	0.3%	597,600	596,400	0.2%	0.0%	2.0%	16,987,700	16,578,400	2.5%
actual	1.0%	0.2%	596,800	596,200	0.1%	0.8%	2.0%	16,978,200	16,573,200	2.4%
EMPLOYMENT										
seas. adj.	0.3%	0.4%	569,200	565,300	0.7%	-0.1%	1.9%	15,700,700	15,301,700	2.6%
part time	2.6%	-4.6%	113,400	113,700	-0.2%	-0.6%	3.6%	2,953,300	2,834,000	4.2%
men	2.1%	-6.8%	34,600	33,700	2.7%	-0.1%	3.6%	912,500	883,500	3.3%
women	2.7%	-3.8%	78,900	80,000	-1.4%	-0.8%	3.6%	2,040,900	1,950,500	4.6%
full time	-0.3%	1.8%	455,700	451,600	0.9%	0.0%	1.5%	12,747,500	12,467,800	2.2%
men	-0.5%	0.8%	271,700	269,400	0.8%	-0.1%	0.9%	7,485,200	7,331,200	2.1%
women	0.1%	3.2%	184,000	182,200	1.0%	0.2%	2.3%	5,262,200	5,136,600	2.4%
actual	-0.1%	0.4%	567,500	564,000	0.6%	0.1%	1.8%	15,644,200	15,248,000	2.6%
UNEMPLOYMENT										
seas. adj.	11.3%	-2.2%	28,400	31,100	-8.7%	1.0%	4.1%	1,287,000	1,276,700	0.8%
actual	28.9%	-2.8%	29,300	32,200	-9.0%	10.5%	4.1%	1,334,000	1,325,300	0.7%
seas. adj.	0.5pts	-0.1pts	4.8	5.2	-0.5 pts	0.1pts	0.2pts	7.6	7.7	-0.1pts
actual	1.1pts	-0.1pts	4.9	5.4	-0.5 pts	0.7pts	0.2pts	7.9	8.0	-0.1pts
PARTICIPATION RATE										
seas. adj.	0.5pts	0.0pts	69.0	69.0	0.0 pts	0.0pts	0.6pts	67.5	66.7	0.8pts
actual	0.6pts	-0.2pts	68.9	69.0	-0.1 pts	0.5pts	0.5pts	67.4	66.6	0.8pts

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TABLE 2: UNEMPLOYMENT RATES, CANADA AND PROVINCES

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			SEASONALLY ADJUSTED YEAR-TO-DATE AVERAGES	
	JUL 03	JUN 03	JUL 02	JAN-JUL 03	JAN-JUL 02
MANITOBA	5.1	4.6	5.2	4.8	5.2
CANADA	7.8	7.7	7.6	7.6	7.7
NFLD.	15.8	15.4	15.2	16.8	16.4
P.E.I.	10.4	9.6	12.3	11.5	12.4
N.S.	9.2	8.8	9.8	9.0	9.8
N.B.	10.5	10.6	10.5	10.6	10.4
QUEBEC	9.1	8.9	8.6	8.9	8.7
ONTARIO	7.2	7.3	7.1	6.9	7.1
SASK.	5.5	5.3	5.3	5.6	5.7
ALBERTA	4.9	5.1	5.3	5.3	5.2
B.C.	8.6	8.3	8.2	8.2	8.8
* MANITOBA RANK	2	1	1	1	1

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TABLE 3: UNEMPLOYMENT RATES BY AGE AND SEX: SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

	MANITOBA					CANADA				
				YEAR-TO-DATE AVERAGES					YEAR-TO-DATE AVERAGES	
	JUL 03	JUN 03	JUL 02	JAN-JUL 03	JAN-JUL 02	JUL 03	JUN 03	JUL 02	JAN-JUL 03	JAN-JUL 02
BOTH SEXES	5.1	4.6	5.2	4.8	5.2	7.8	7.7	7.6	7.6	7.7
15-24	9.7	9.0	10.3	9.2	10.6	14.1	13.9	13.5	13.5	13.7
25+	4.1	3.6	4.0	3.8	4.0	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.4	6.5
MEN	5.8	5.2	5.3	5.0	5.6	8.3	8.1	8.0	7.9	8.2
15-24	11.0	11.7	10.5	10.4	12.0	16.1	16.2	14.9	15.3	15.3
25+	4.7	3.8	4.2	3.8	4.2	6.8	6.6	6.7	6.5	6.8
WOMEN	4.2	3.9	5.0	4.5	4.7	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2
15-24	8.2	6.0	10.1	7.9	9.0	12.0	11.5	11.9	11.7	11.9
25+	3.3	3.4	3.9	3.7	3.8	6.2	6.3	6.2	6.3	6.2

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TABLE 4: YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT RATES, CANADA AND PROVINCES
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED - 15 TO 24 YEARS OF AGE

				YEAR-TO-DATE AVERAGES	
	JUL 03	JUN 03	JUL 02	JAN-JUL 03	JAN-JUL 02
MANITOBA	9.7	9.0	10.3	9.2	10.6
CANADA	14.1	13.9	13.5	13.5	13.7
NFLD.	22.0	20.8	20.0	24.0	23.5
P.E.I.	12.7	13.9	13.8	15.4	17.0
N.S.	17.4	16.5	18.3	15.3	18.4
N.B.	16.7	19.6	15.6	16.1	15.5
QUEBEC	13.2	13.6	13.2	13.8	13.5
ONTARIO	15.2	15.8	13.7	14.1	14.0
SASK.	10.6	10.5	10.8	10.5	10.9
ALBERTA	10.0	8.9	10.9	10.1	10.7
B.C.	16.8	13.4	15.2	14.6	15.0
* MANITOBA RANK	1	2	1	1	1

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TABLE 5: SELECTED CITY UNEMPLOYMENT RATES

	ACTUAL MONTHLY		YEAR-TO-DATE AVERAGES MONTHLY		THREE MONTH MOVING AVERAGES ACTUAL		SEASONALLY ADJUSTED	
	JUL 03	JUL 02	JAN-JUL 03	JAN-JUL 02	JUL 03	JUL 02	JUL 03	JUL 02
WINNIPEG	5.5	5.9	5.2	5.6	4.7	5.1	4.7	5.1
VANCOUVER	8.6	7.4	7.5	8.1	7.7	7.9	7.8	7.9
EDMONTON	4.7	5.5	5.5	5.3	5.3	5.6	5.2	5.4
CALGARY	5.0	6.7	5.5	5.8	4.9	6.4	4.9	6.1
REGINA	6.8	6.3	5.9	5.7	5.8	5.6	5.4	5.4
SASKATOON	6.1	6.4	6.0	6.1	5.9	6.2	5.5	5.8
TORONTO	9.1	8.3	7.9	7.4	8.6	7.7	8.3	7.5
OTTAWA	6.9	7.5	6.7	7.2	6.6	7.2	6.4	6.9
MONTREAL	9.6	8.8	9.7	8.7	9.9	8.3	9.8	8.2
HALIFAX	6.5	7.9	7.0	7.9	6.3	7.7	6.5	7.6
ST. JOHN'S	9.9	8.5	9.6	8.6	9.5	9.0	9.1	8.6
* WINNIPEG RANK (OUT OF 11 CITIES)	3	2	1	2	1	1	1	1

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TABLE 6: TOTAL EMPLOYMENT, CANADA AND PROVINCES

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			SEASONALLY ADJUSTED YEAR-TO-DATE AVERAGES		
	JUL 03	JUN 03	JUL 02	JAN-JUL 03	JAN-JUL 02	CHANGE
MANITOBA	571,100	569,500	568,600	569,200	565,300	0.7%
CANADA	15,720,600	15,733,900	15,430,800	15,700,700	15,301,700	2.6%
NFLD.	217,800	218,200	216,200	218,100	215,300	1.3%
P.E.I.	69,500	70,300	66,400	68,200	66,600	2.5%
N.S.	434,200	439,300	424,700	436,400	426,600	2.3%
N.B.	345,300	343,700	343,500	346,200	344,400	0.5%
QUEBEC	3,634,600	3,647,800	3,600,400	3,643,300	3,572,800	2.0%
ONTARIO	6,219,100	6,226,800	6,051,900	6,216,300	6,018,200	3.3%
SASK.	487,100	488,700	480,100	487,800	477,100	2.2%
ALBERTA	1,725,400	1,722,900	1,691,200	1,707,800	1,660,500	2.8%
B.C.	2,016,400	2,006,600	1,987,800	2,007,400	1,955,000	2.7%

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TABLE 7: MANITOBA EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY: SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

				YEAR-TO-DATE-AVERAGES			
	JUL 03	JUN 03	JUL 02	JAN-JUL 03	JAN-JUL 02	PERCENT CHANGE	CANADA PERCENT CHANGE
AGRICULTURE	31,800	31,700	31,800	32,300	31,900	1.3%	7.9%
FORESTRY, FISHING & MINING	5,600	6,000	6,500	5,600	6,900	-19.4%	4.0%
UTILITIES	7,200	7,100	7,000	7,000	6,100	14.3%	0.0%
CONSTRUCTION	28,000	27,500	25,100	27,000	25,200	7.2%	5.4%
MANUFACTURING	70,200	67,400	68,800	68,500	69,800	-1.9%	-0.1%
TRADE	83,400	83,900	86,500	83,100	90,000	-7.7%	1.0%
TRANSPORTATION SERVICES	33,300	34,500	35,300	34,800	34,900	-0.3%	2.3%
FINANCE, INSURANCE, REAL ESTATE & LEASING	28,500	27,800	29,600	27,300	28,800	-5.2%	4.4%
PROFESSIONAL & ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES	42,000	42,300	42,700	43,400	40,600	7.0%	3.2%
EDUCATION & HEALTH SERVICES	117,100	115,200	113,300	116,300	111,900	3.9%	5.3%
INFORMATION, CULTURE & RECREATION	22,300	24,100	25,600	22,700	25,000	-9.1%	-2.2%
ACCOMMODATION & OTHER SERVICES	69,400	70,000	61,200	69,500	60,000	15.8%	2.4%
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION	32,300	32,100	35,300	31,700	34,300	-7.4%	3.1%
TOTAL: ALL INDUSTRIES	571,100	569,500	568,600	569,200	565,300	0.7%	2.6%
TOTAL: GOODS PRODUCING	142,800	139,700	139,300	140,300	139,900	0.3%	2.1%
TOTAL: SERVICE PRODUCING	428,300	429,900	429,300	428,800	425,400	0.8%	2.8%

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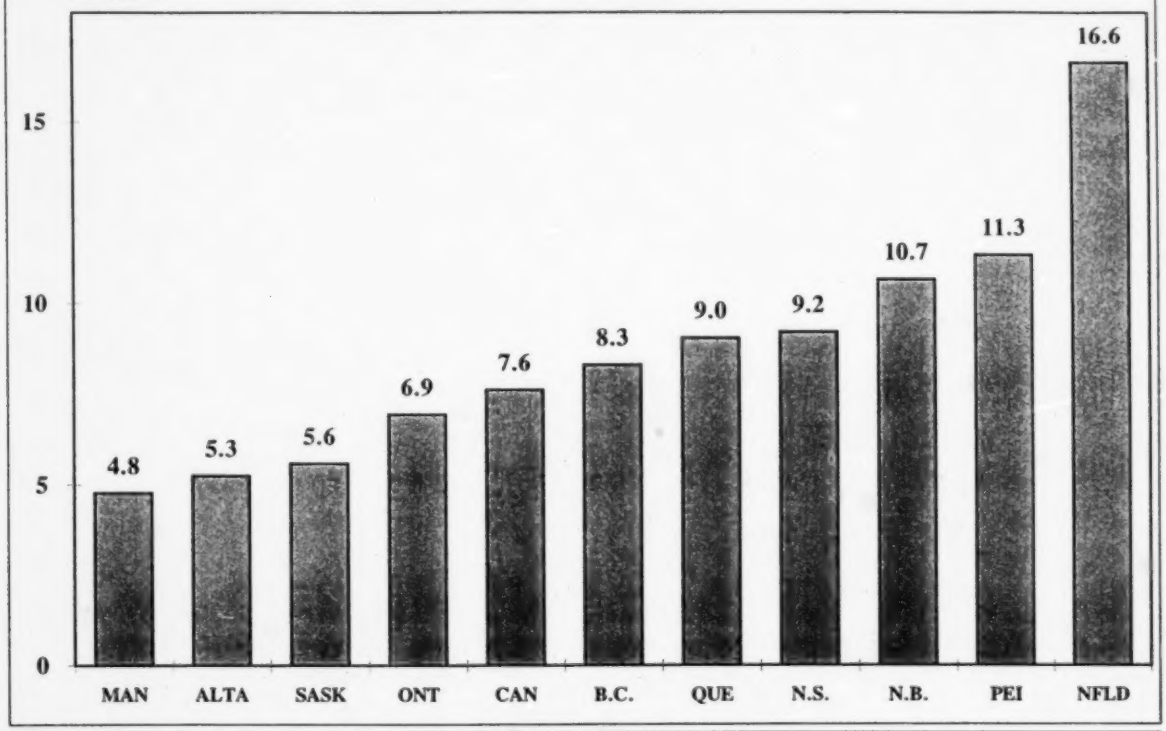

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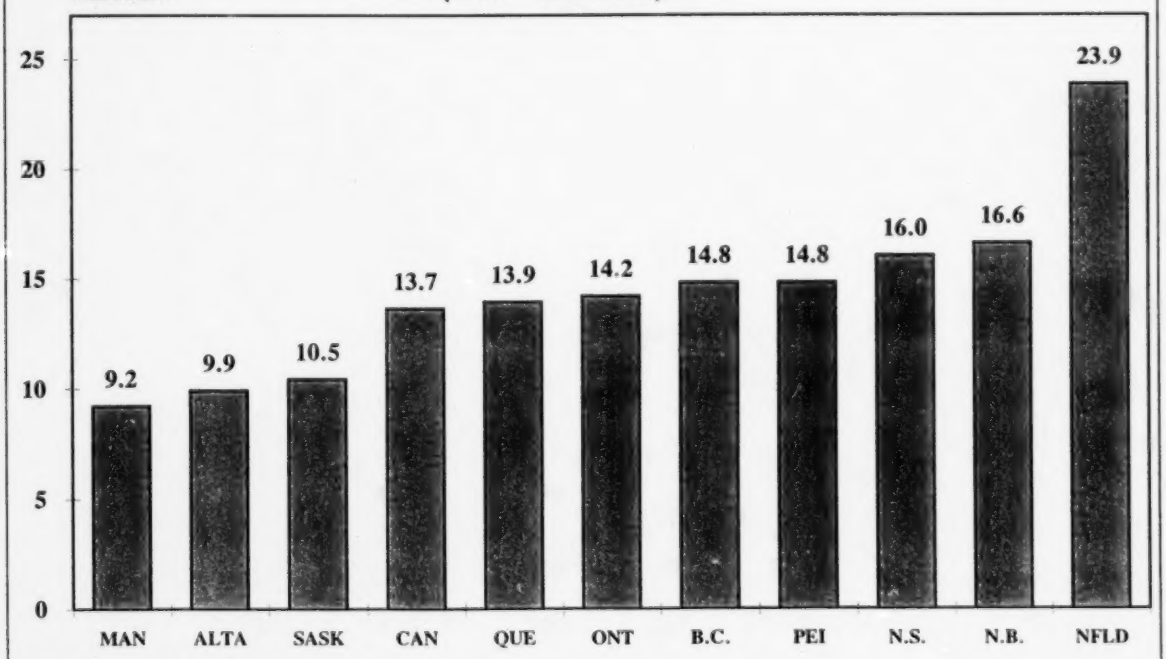

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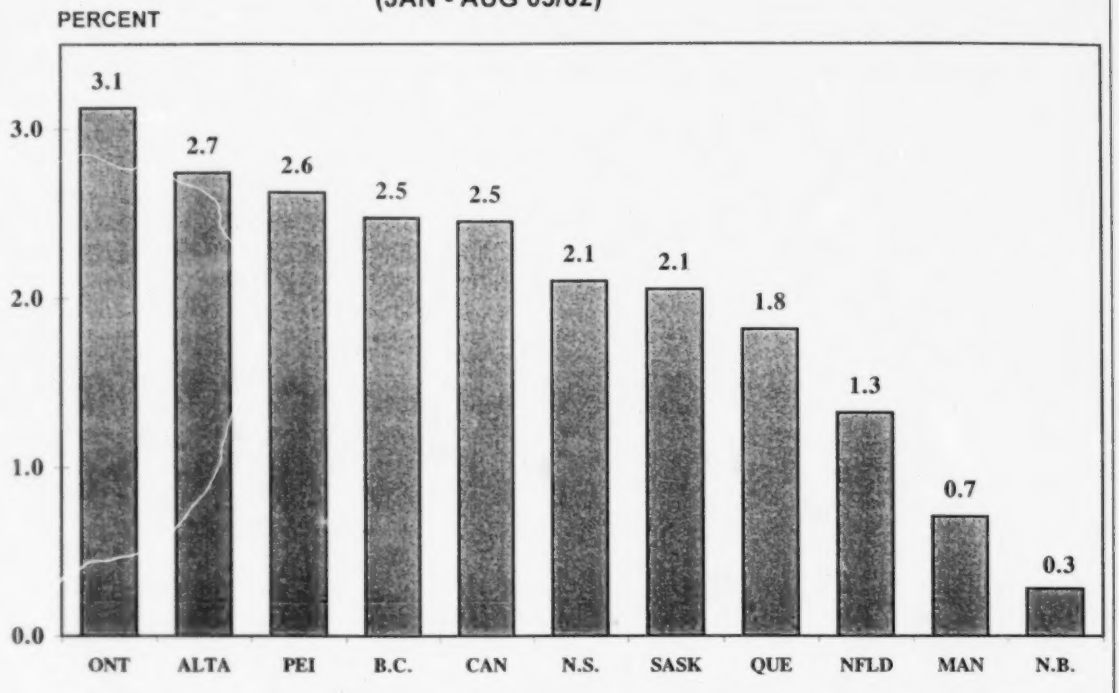

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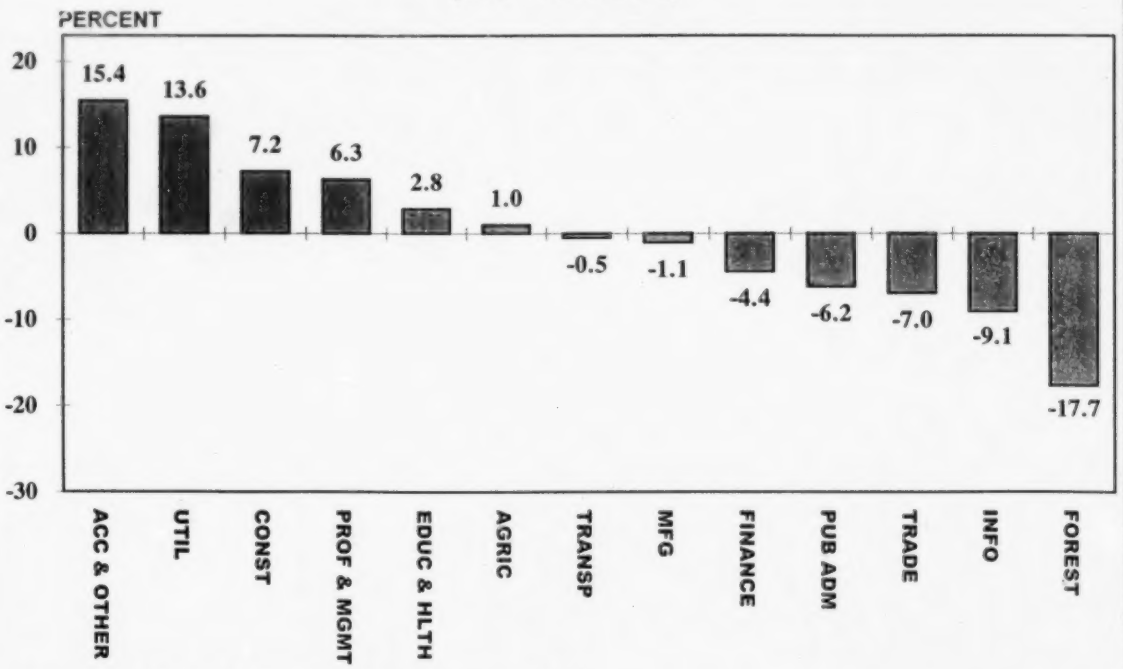

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	MANITOBA			CANADA		
	AUG 03	JUL 03	AUG 02	AUG 03	JUL 03	AUG 02
LABOUR FORCE						
seas. adj.	601,300	601,500	597,700	17,067,800	17,042,400	16,749,200
actual	612,100	610,800	608,900	17,486,000	17,465,900	17,172,900
EMPLOYMENT						
seas. adj.	572,000	571,100	566,800	15,701,600	15,720,600	15,487,300
part time	113,200	113,600	118,400	2,965,100	2,961,900	2,894,800
men	36,000	34,300	35,300	907,700	916,800	905,200
women	77,300	79,300	83,100	2,057,400	2,045,100	1,989,600
full time	458,700	457,400	448,400	12,736,500	12,758,800	12,592,600
men	271,500	270,200	267,900	7,462,200	7,469,000	7,395,900
women	187,200	187,300	180,500	5,274,400	5,289,700	5,196,700
actual	578,500	579,100	574,300	16,048,700	16,090,400	15,850,200
UNEMPLOYMENT						
seas. adj.	29,400	30,500	31,000	1,366,200	1,321,800	1,261,900
actual	33,600	31,700	34,700	1,437,300	1,375,400	1,322,600
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE						
seas. adj.	4.9	5.1	5.2	8.0	7.8	7.5
actual	5.5	5.2	5.7	8.2	7.9	7.7
PARTICIPATION RATE						
seas. adj.	69.2	69.3	69.1	67.5	67.5	67.0
actual	70.5	70.3	70.4	69.2	69.1	68.7

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TABLE 1 (CONTINUED): PRINCIPAL LABOUR FORCE INDICATORS, MANITOBA AND CANADA

	MANITOBA					CANADA				
	PERCENT CHANGE		YEAR-TO-DATE AVERAGES			PERCENT CHANGE		YEAR-TO-DATE AVERAGES		
	AUG 03/ JUL 03	AUG 03/ AUG 02	JAN-AUG 03	AN-AUG 02	CHANGE 03/02	AUG 03/ JUL 03	AUG 03/ AUG 02	JAN-AUG 03	AN-AUG 02	CHANGE 03/02
LABOUR FORCE										
seas. adj.	0.0%	0.6%	598,100	596,600	0.2%	0.1%	1.9%	16,997,800	16,599,800	2.4%
actual	0.2%	0.5%	598,700	597,800	0.2%	0.1%	1.8%	17,041,700	16,648,200	2.4%
EMPLOYMENT										
seas. adj.	0.2%	0.9%	569,500	565,500	0.7%	-0.1%	1.4%	15,700,900	15,324,900	2.5%
part time	-0.4%	-4.4%	113,400	114,300	-0.7%	0.1%	2.4%	2,954,800	2,841,600	4.0%
men	5.0%	2.0%	34,800	33,900	2.6%	-1.0%	0.3%	911,900	886,200	2.9%
women	-2.5%	-7.0%	78,700	80,400	-2.2%	0.6%	3.4%	2,042,900	1,955,400	4.5%
full time	0.3%	2.3%	456,100	451,200	1.1%	-0.2%	1.1%	12,746,100	12,483,400	2.1%
men	0.5%	1.3%	271,700	269,200	0.9%	-0.1%	0.9%	7,482,300	7,339,300	1.9%
women	-0.1%	3.7%	184,400	182,000	1.3%	-0.3%	1.5%	5,263,700	5,144,100	2.3%
actual	-0.1%	0.7%	568,900	565,300	0.6%	-0.3%	1.3%	15,694,800	15,323,300	2.4%
UNEMPLOYMENT										
seas. adj.	-3.6%	-5.2%	28,600	31,100	-8.2%	3.4%	8.3%	1,296,900	1,274,800	1.7%
actual	6.0%	-3.2%	29,900	32,500	-8.2%	4.5%	8.7%	1,346,900	1,324,900	1.7%
seas. adj.	-0.2pts	-0.3pts	4.8	5.2	-0.5 pts	0.2pts	0.5pts	7.6	7.7	0.0pts
actual	0.3pts	-0.2pts	5.0	5.4	-0.4 pts	0.3pts	0.5pts	7.9	8.0	0.0pts
PARTICIPATION RATE										
seas. adj.	-0.1pts	0.1pts	69.0	69.0	0.0 pts	0.0pts	0.5pts	67.5	66.7	0.8pts
actual	0.2pts	0.1pts	69.1	69.2	-0.1 pts	0.1pts	0.5pts	67.7	66.9	0.8pts

DATA SOURCE: STATISTICS CANADA

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NOTE: Year-to-date averages are rounded to the nearest hundred, whereas year-to-date percent change calculations are based on the unrounded averages.

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TABLE 2: UNEMPLOYMENT RATES, CANADA AND PROVINCES

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			SEASONALLY ADJUSTED YEAR-TO-DATE AVERAGES	
	AUG 03	JUL 03	AUG 02	JAN-AUG 03	JAN-AUG 02
MANITOBA	4.9	5.1	5.2	4.8	5.2
CANADA	8.0	7.8	7.5	7.6	7.7
NFLD.	15.6	15.8	16.1	16.6	16.3
P.E.I.	10.3	10.4	12.4	11.3	12.4
N.S.	10.5	9.2	9.7	9.2	9.8
N.B.	11.1	10.5	10.4	10.7	10.4
QUEBEC	10.0	9.1	8.6	9.0	8.7
ONTARIO	7.1	7.2	7.1	6.9	7.1
SASK.	5.6	5.5	5.4	5.6	5.6
ALBERTA	5.1	4.9	5.2	5.3	5.2
B.C.	8.7	8.6	7.7	8.3	8.7
* MANITOBA RANK	1	2	1	1	1

DATA SOURCE: STATISTICS CANADA

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* Ranking is in ascending order from the lowest unemployment rate to the highest

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TABLE 3: UNEMPLOYMENT RATES BY AGE AND SEX: SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

	MANITOBA					CANADA				
				YEAR-TO-DATE AVERAGES					YEAR-TO-DATE AVERAGES	
	AUG 03	JUL 03	AUG 02	JAN-AUG 03	JAN-AUG 02	AUG 03	JUL 03	AUG 02	JAN-AUG 03	JAN-AUG 02
BOTH SEXES	4.9	5.1	5.2	4.8	5.2	8.0	7.8	7.5	7.6	7.7
15-24	9.3	9.7	10.7	9.2	10.6	14.4	14.1	13.8	13.7	13.7
25+	3.9	4.1	4.0	3.8	4.0	6.7	6.5	6.3	6.5	6.5
MEN	4.8	5.8	5.6	5.0	5.6	8.5	8.3	7.9	8.0	8.1
15-24	9.8	11.0	12.3	10.3	12.0	16.2	16.1	15.4	15.4	15.4
25+	3.7	4.7	4.2	3.8	4.2	7.0	6.8	6.4	6.6	6.8
WOMEN	5.0	4.2	4.7	4.5	4.7	7.5	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2
15-24	8.7	8.2	8.8	8.0	9.0	12.5	12.0	12.1	11.8	11.9
25+	4.2	3.3	3.7	3.8	3.8	6.4	6.2	6.1	6.3	6.2

DATA SOURCE: STATISTICS CANADA

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TABLE 4: YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT RATES, CANADA AND PROVINCES
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED - 15 TO 24 YEARS OF AGE

				YEAR-TO-DATE AVERAGES	
	AUG 03	JUL 03	AUG 02	JAN-AUG 03	JAN-AUG 02
MANITOBA	9.3	9.7	10.7	9.2	10.6
CANADA	14.4	14.1	13.8	13.7	13.7
NFLD.	22.5	22.0	22.4	23.9	23.3
P.E.I.	10.6	12.7	15.6	14.8	16.8
N.S.	21.1	17.4	16.8	16.0	18.2
N.B.	19.9	16.7	15.8	16.6	15.6
QUEBEC	14.6	13.2	15.0	13.9	13.7
ONTARIO	15.2	15.2	13.9	14.2	14.0
SASK.	10.3	10.6	10.1	10.5	10.8
ALBERTA	8.9	10.0	10.9	9.9	10.7
B.C.	16.6	16.8	14.0	14.8	14.9
* MANITOBA RANK	2	1	2	1	1

DATA SOURCE: STATISTICS CANADA

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* Ranking is in ascending order from the lowest unemployment rate to the highest

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TABLE 5: SELECTED CITY UNEMPLOYMENT RATES

	ACTUAL MONTHLY		YEAR-TO-DATE AVERAGES MONTHLY		THREE MONTH MOVING AVERAGES ACTUAL		SEASONALLY ADJUSTED	
	AUG 03	AUG 02	JAN-AUG 03	JAN-AUG 02	AUG 03	AUG 02	AUG 03	AUG 02
WINNIPEG	5.4	5.6	5.2	5.6	5.1	5.3	4.8	5.0
VANCOUVER	8.5	7.1	7.6	8.0	8.0	7.3	7.9	7.1
EDMONTON	5.4	5.0	5.5	5.3	5.1	5.2	5.1	5.1
CALGARY	5.5	5.8	5.5	5.8	4.9	6.1	4.7	5.9
REGINA	6.7	6.1	6.0	5.8	6.2	5.5	5.7	5.3
SASKATOON	6.4	7.0	6.1	6.2	6.0	6.5	5.6	6.1
TORONTO	9.1	9.0	8.0	7.6	8.9	8.2	8.4	7.9
OTTAWA	6.7	7.5	6.7	7.3	6.6	7.4	6.2	6.8
MONTREAL	11.4	8.8	9.9	8.8	10.1	8.4	10.1	8.3
HALIFAX	8.2	7.1	7.2	7.8	6.8	7.3	7.1	7.6
ST. JOHN'S	8.9	10.3	9.6	8.8	9.3	9.4	8.8	8.8
* WINNIPEG RANK (OUT OF 11 CITIES)	1	2	1	2	2	2	2	1

DATA SOURCE: STATISTICS CANADA

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TABLE 6: TOTAL EMPLOYMENT, CANADA AND PROVINCES

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			SEASONALLY ADJUSTED YEAR-TO-DATE AVERAGES		
	AUG 03	JUL 03	AUG 02	JAN-AUG 03	JAN-AUG 02	CHANGE
MANITOBA	572,000	571,100	566,800	569,500	565,500	0.7%
CANADA	15,701,600	15,720,600	15,487,300	15,700,900	15,324,900	2.5%
NFLD.	219,600	217,800	216,100	218,300	215,400	1.3%
P.E.I.	69,700	69,500	67,400	68,400	66,700	2.6%
N.S.	432,900	434,200	429,900	436,000	427,000	2.1%
N.B.	338,600	345,300	343,900	345,300	344,300	0.3%
QUEBEC	3,621,400	3,634,600	3,594,800	3,640,600	3,575,600	1.8%
ONTARIO	6,213,200	6,219,100	6,093,700	6,216,000	6,027,600	3.1%
SASK.	486,100	487,100	482,300	487,600	477,800	2.1%
ALBERTA	1,724,800	1,725,400	1,690,800	1,709,900	1,664,300	2.7%
B.C.	2,023,300	2,016,400	2,001,600	2,009,400	1,960,900	2.5%

DATA SOURCE: STATISTICS CANADA

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TABLE 7: MANITOBA EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY: SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

				YEAR-TO-DATE-AVERAGES			
	AUG 03	JUL 03	AUG 02	JAN-AUG 03	JAN-AUG 02	PERCENT CHANGE	CANADA PERCENT CHANGE
AGRICULTURE	30,900	31,800	31,400	32,100	31,800	1.0%	6.8%
FORESTRY, FISHING & MINING	5,600	5,600	5,800	5,600	6,800	-17.7%	4.3%
UTILITIES	7,200	7,200	6,600	7,000	6,200	13.6%	0.1%
CONSTRUCTION	28,600	28,000	26,700	27,200	25,400	7.2%	5.4%
MANUFACTURING	68,700	70,200	65,500	68,500	69,300	-1.1%	-0.5%
TRADE	84,000	83,400	85,500	83,200	89,500	-7.0%	1.1%
TRANSPORTATION SERVICES	34,300	33,300	35,000	34,700	34,900	-0.5%	2.2%
FINANCE, INSURANCE, REAL ESTATE & LEASING	29,000	28,500	28,700	27,500	28,800	-4.4%	4.2%
PROFESSIONAL & ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES	43,000	42,000	42,400	43,400	40,800	6.3%	2.9%
EDUCATION & HEALTH SERVICES	114,800	117,100	119,600	116,100	112,900	2.8%	4.9%
INFORMATION, CULTURE & RECREATION	22,200	22,300	24,300	22,700	24,900	-9.1%	-2.2%
ACCOMMODATION & OTHER SERVICES	68,400	69,400	60,800	69,300	60,100	15.4%	2.6%
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION	35,300	32,300	34,500	32,200	34,300	-6.2%	3.7%
TOTAL: ALL INDUSTRIES	572,000	571,100	566,800	569,500	565,500	0.7%	2.5%
TOTAL: GOODS PRODUCING	141,100	142,800	135,900	140,400	139,400	0.7%	1.8%
TOTAL: SERVICE PRODUCING	430,900	428,300	430,800	429,100	426,100	0.7%	2.7%

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Note: ***All tables and charts contain seasonally adjusted data unless otherwise specified (I.e. part of table 1 and table 5)***

CHART 1. UNEMPLOYMENT RATES
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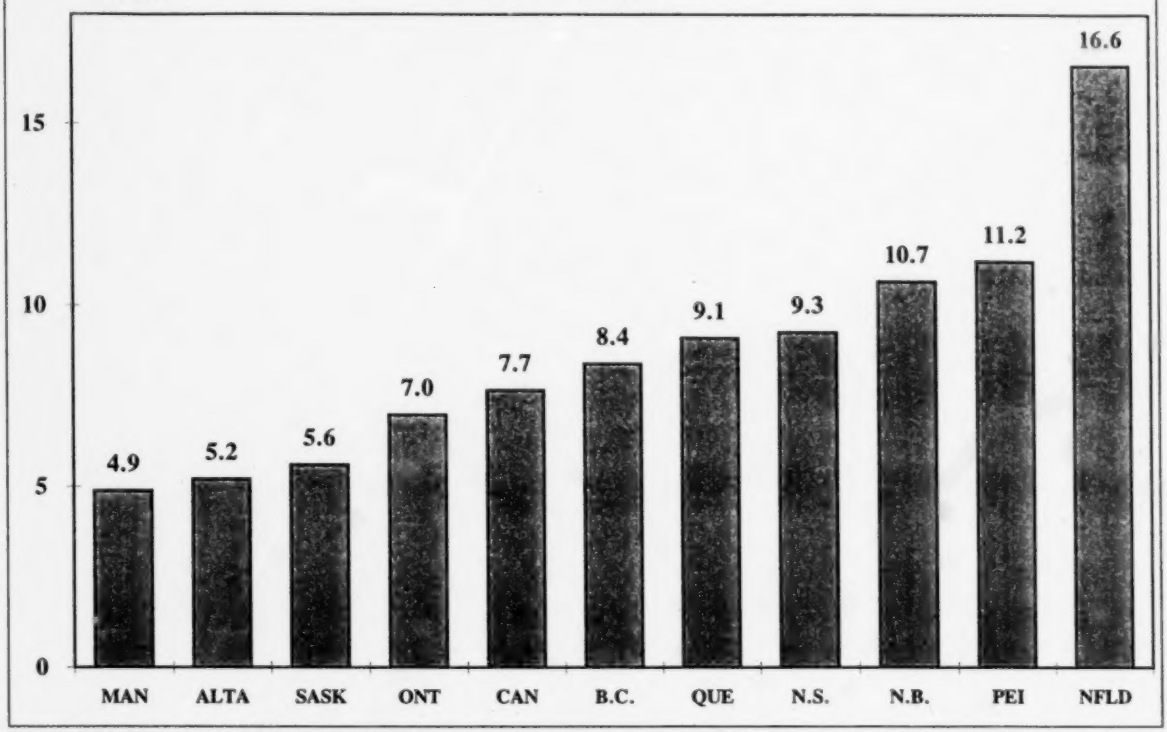

CHART 2. YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT RATES
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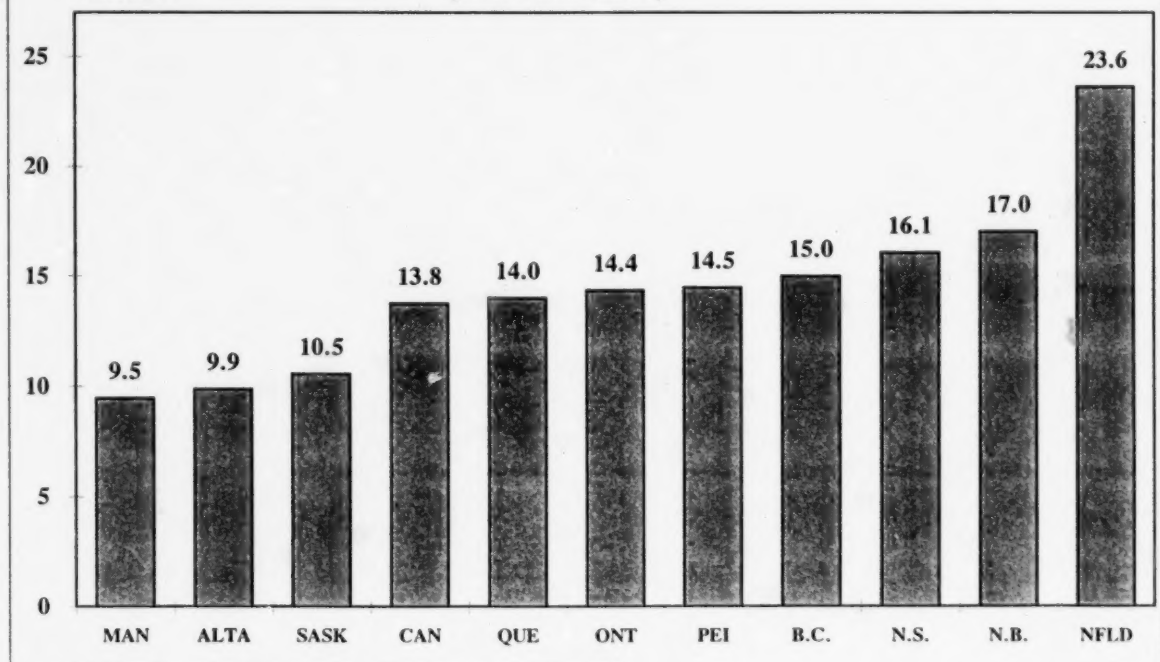

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CHART 3. TOTAL EMPLOYMENT
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(JAN - SEP 03/02)

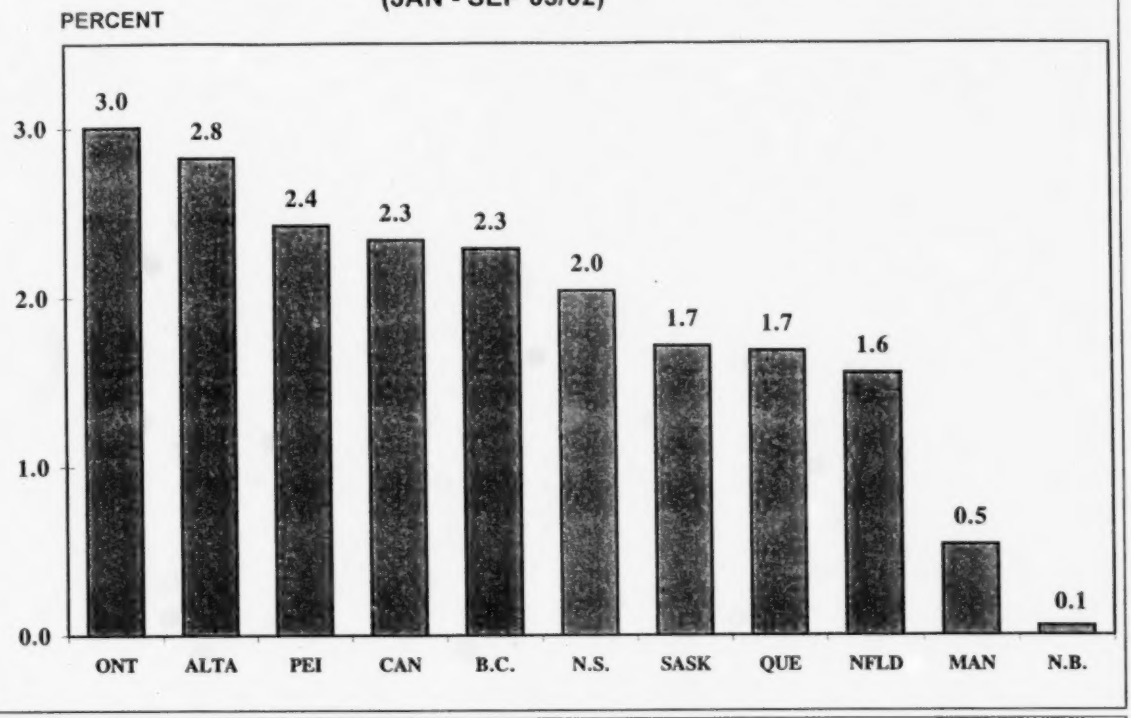

CHART 4. MANITOBA EMPLOYMENT
BY INDUSTRY
(JAN - SEP 03/02)

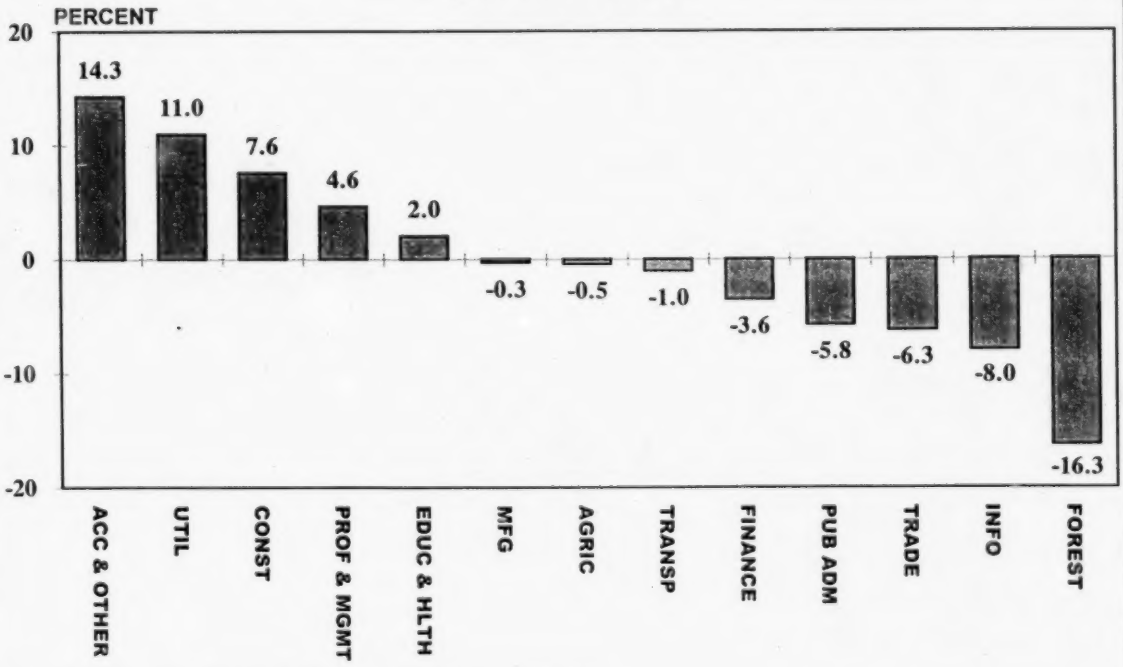

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TABLE 1: PRINCIPAL LABOUR FORCE INDICATORS, MANITOBA AND CANADA

	MANITOBA			CANADA		
	SEP 03	AUG 03	SEP 02	SEP 03	AUG 03	SEP 02
LABOUR FORCE						
seas. adj.	598,200	601,300	597,900	17,117,600	17,067,800	16,813,800
actual	597,900	612,100	598,300	17,092,800	17,486,000	16,790,200
EMPLOYMENT						
seas. adj.	563,700	572,000	568,400	15,747,900	15,701,600	15,523,600
part time	112,000	113,200	115,900	2,974,400	2,965,100	2,924,100
men	34,600	36,000	32,400	920,700	907,700	911,000
women	77,400	77,300	83,600	2,053,700	2,057,400	2,013,200
full time	451,700	458,700	452,500	12,773,600	12,736,500	12,599,400
men	267,600	271,500	272,700	7,480,900	7,462,200	7,409,000
women	184,100	187,200	179,800	5,292,600	5,274,400	5,190,400
actual	567,300	578,500	573,500	15,832,600	16,048,700	15,613,400
UNEMPLOYMENT						
seas. adj.	34,400	29,400	29,500	1,369,600	1,366,200	1,290,200
actual	30,600	33,600	24,800	1,260,100	1,437,300	1,176,800
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE						
seas. adj.	5.8	4.9	4.9	8.0	8.0	7.7
actual	5.1	5.5	4.1	7.4	8.2	7.0
PARTICIPATION RATE						
seas. adj.	68.8	69.2	69.1	67.6	67.5	67.2
actual	68.8	70.5	69.2	67.5	69.2	67.1

DATA SOURCE: STATISTICS CANADA

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TABLE 1 (CONTINUED): PRINCIPAL LABOUR FORCE INDICATORS, MANITOBA AND CANADA

	MANITOBA					CANADA				
	PERCENT CHANGE		YEAR-TO-DATE AVERAGES			PERCENT CHANGE		YEAR-TO-DATE AVERAGES		
	SEP 03/ AUG 03	SEP 03/ SEP 02	JAN-SEP 03	JAN-SEP 02	CHANGE 03/02	SEP 03/ AUG 03	SEP 03/ SEP 02	JAN-SEP 03	JAN-SEP 02	CHANGE 03/02
LABOUR FORCE										
seas. adj.	-0.5%	0.1%	598,100	596,700	0.2%	0.3%	1.8%	17,011,100	16,623,500	2.3%
actual	-2.3%	-0.1%	598,600	597,800	0.1%	-2.2%	1.8%	17,047,300	16,664,000	2.3%
EMPLOYMENT										
seas. adj.	-1.5%	-0.8%	568,900	565,800	0.5%	0.3%	1.4%	15,706,100	15,347,000	2.3%
part time	-1.1%	-3.4%	113,200	114,400	-1.0%	0.3%	1.7%	2,957,000	2,850,700	3.7%
men	-3.9%	6.8%	34,700	33,700	3.1%	1.4%	1.1%	912,800	888,900	2.7%
women	0.1%	-7.4%	78,500	80,800	-2.8%	-0.2%	2.0%	2,044,100	1,961,800	4.2%
full time	-1.5%	-0.2%	455,600	451,400	0.9%	0.3%	1.4%	12,749,100	12,496,300	2.0%
men	-1.4%	-1.9%	271,200	269,600	0.6%	0.3%	1.0%	7,482,200	7,347,000	1.8%
women	-1.7%	2.4%	184,400	181,800	1.4%	0.3%	2.0%	5,266,900	5,149,200	2.3%
actual	-1.9%	-1.1%	568,700	566,200	0.4%	-1.3%	1.4%	15,710,100	15,355,500	2.3%
UNEMPLOYMENT										
seas. adj.	17.0%	16.6%	29,200	30,900	-5.6%	0.2%	6.2%	1,305,000	1,276,500	2.2%
actual	-8.9%	23.4%	29,900	31,700	-5.5%	-12.3%	7.1%	1,337,300	1,308,500	2.2%
seas. adj.	0.9pts	0.9pts	4.9	5.2	-0.3 pts	0.0pts	0.3pts	7.7	7.7	0.0pts
actual	-0.4pts	1.0pts	5.0	5.3	-0.3 pts	-0.8pts	0.4pts	7.9	7.8	0.0pts
PARTICIPATION RATE										
seas. adj.	-0.4pts	-0.3pts	69.0	69.0	0.0 pts	0.1pts	0.4pts	67.5	66.8	0.7pts
actual	-1.7pts	-0.4pts	69.1	69.2	-0.1 pts	-1.7pts	0.4pts	67.6	66.9	0.7pts

DATA SOURCE: STATISTICS CANADA

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TABLE 2: UNEMPLOYMENT RATES, CANADA AND PROVINCES

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			SEASONALLY ADJUSTED YEAR-TO-DATE AVERAGES	
	SEP 03	AUG 03	SEP 02	JAN-SEP 03	JAN-SEP 02
MANITOBA	5.8	4.9	4.9	4.9	5.2
CANADA	8.0	8.0	7.7	7.7	7.7
NFLD.	16.4	15.6	17.2	16.6	16.4
P.E.I.	10.3	10.3	11.7	11.2	12.3
N.S.	9.7	10.5	9.8	9.3	9.8
N.B.	10.7	11.1	10.2	10.7	10.4
QUEBEC	9.6	10.0	8.4	9.1	8.6
ONTARIO	7.3	7.1	7.3	7.0	7.1
SASK.	5.7	5.6	5.5	5.6	5.6
ALBERTA	4.9	5.1	5.8	5.2	5.3
B.C.	9.1	8.7	8.2	8.4	8.6
* MANITOBA RANK	3	1	1	1	1

DATA SOURCE: STATISTICS CANADA

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* Ranking is in ascending order from the lowest unemployment rate to the highest

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TABLE 3: UNEMPLOYMENT RATES BY AGE AND SEX: SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

	MANITOBA					CANADA				
				YEAR-TO-DATE AVERAGES					YEAR-TO-DATE AVERAGES	
	SEP 03	AUG 03	SEP 02	JAN-SEP 03	JAN-SEP 02	SEP 03	AUG 03	SEP 02	JAN-SEP 03	JAN-SEP 02
BOTH SEXES	5.8	4.9	4.9	4.9	5.2	8.0	8.0	7.7	7.7	7.7
15-24	11.3	9.3	8.6	9.5	10.4	14.6	14.4	13.7	13.8	13.7
25+	4.5	3.9	4.1	3.9	4.0	6.7	6.7	6.5	6.5	6.5
MEN	5.8	4.8	5.0	5.1	5.5	8.4	8.5	8.0	8.0	8.1
15-24	12.5	9.8	8.5	10.5	11.6	16.3	16.2	15.0	15.5	15.3
25+	4.4	3.7	4.3	3.9	4.2	6.9	7.0	6.7	6.6	6.8
WOMEN	5.7	5.0	4.8	4.7	4.7	7.5	7.5	7.3	7.3	7.2
15-24	10.0	8.7	8.8	8.2	9.0	12.7	12.5	12.2	11.9	11.9
25+	4.7	4.2	3.9	3.9	3.8	6.5	6.4	6.3	6.3	6.2

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TABLE 4: YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT RATES, CANADA AND PROVINCES
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED - 15 TO 24 YEARS OF AGE

				YEAR-TO-DATE AVERAGES	
	SEP 03	AUG 03	SEP 02	JAN-SEP 03	JAN-SEP 02
MANITOBA	11.3	9.3	8.6	9.5	10.4
CANADA	14.6	14.4	13.7	13.8	13.7
NFLD.	21.7	22.5	25.1	23.6	23.5
P.E.I.	11.7	10.6	16.4	14.5	16.8
N.S.	16.3	21.1	20.3	16.1	18.4
N.B.	20.3	19.9	14.8	17.0	15.5
QUEBEC	14.6	14.6	13.7	14.0	13.7
ONTARIO	15.5	15.2	13.9	14.4	13.9
SASK.	11.3	10.3	10.2	10.5	10.8
ALBERTA	9.3	8.9	12.0	9.9	10.8
B.C.	16.4	16.6	13.7	15.0	14.7
* MANITOBA RANK	2	2	1	1	1

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* Ranking is in ascending order from the lowest unemployment rate to the highest

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TABLE 5: SELECTED CITY UNEMPLOYMENT RATES

	ACTUAL MONTHLY		YEAR-TO-DATE AVERAGES MONTHLY		THREE MONTH MOVING AVERAGES ACTUAL		SEASONALLY ADJUSTED	
	SEP 03	SEP 02	JAN-SEP 03	JAN-SEP 02	SEP 03	SEP 02	SEP 03	SEP 02
WINNIPEG	5.4	4.3	5.2	5.5	5.5	5.3	5.2	5.0
VANCOUVER	8.6	7.3	7.7	7.9	8.6	7.2	8.4	7.1
EDMONTON	4.4	4.6	5.3	5.2	4.8	5.0	5.0	5.0
CALGARY	4.4	6.4	5.4	5.9	5.0	6.3	4.8	6.2
REGINA	5.1	5.2	5.9	5.7	6.1	5.9	5.9	5.6
SASKATOON	5.7	5.7	6.0	6.2	6.1	6.4	5.8	6.1
TORONTO	8.1	7.9	8.0	7.6	8.8	8.4	8.3	8.0
OTTAWA	7.0	7.5	6.7	7.3	6.9	7.5	6.4	7.1
MONTREAL	9.3	7.9	9.8	8.7	10.1	8.5	10.1	8.4
HALIFAX	6.4	7.1	7.1	7.7	7.0	7.4	7.3	7.7
ST. JOHN'S	9.7	8.7	9.6	8.8	9.5	9.3	9.1	8.8
* WINNIPEG RANK (OUT OF 11 CITIES)	4	1	1	2	3	2	3	1

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TABLE 6: TOTAL EMPLOYMENT, CANADA AND PROVINCES

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			SEASONALLY ADJUSTED YEAR-TO-DATE AVERAGES		
	SEP 03	AUG 03	SEP 02	JAN-SEP 03	JAN-SEP 02	CHANGE
MANITOBA	563,700	572,000	568,400	568,900	565,800	0.5%
CANADA	15,747,900	15,701,600	15,523,600	15,706,100	15,347,000	2.3%
NFLD.	220,400	219,600	213,100	218,500	215,200	1.6%
P.E.I.	68,900	69,700	68,300	68,500	66,800	2.4%
N.S.	436,200	432,900	429,600	436,000	427,300	2.0%
N.B.	342,700	338,600	348,800	345,000	344,800	0.1%
QUEBEC	3,628,600	3,621,400	3,606,000	3,639,300	3,579,000	1.7%
ONTARIO	6,251,700	6,213,200	6,124,300	6,219,900	6,038,400	3.0%
SASK.	482,700	486,100	487,400	487,000	478,800	1.7%
ALBERTA	1,735,000	1,724,800	1,676,300	1,712,700	1,665,600	2.8%
B.C.	2,018,000	2,023,300	2,001,300	2,010,300	1,965,400	2.3%

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TABLE 7: MANITOBA EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY: SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

				YEAR-TO-DATE-AVERAGES			
	SEP 03	AUG 03	SEP 02	JAN-SEP 03	JAN-SEP 02	PERCENT CHANGE	CANADA PERCENT CHANGE
AGRICULTURE	29,100	30,900	32,900	31,800	31,900	-0.5%	5.7%
FORESTRY, FISHING & MINING	5,700	5,600	5,900	5,600	6,700	-16.3%	4.9%
UTILITIES	6,600	7,200	7,100	7,000	6,300	11.0%	-0.5%
CONSTRUCTION	26,400	28,600	23,800	27,100	25,200	7.6%	5.5%
MANUFACTURING	70,700	68,700	66,800	68,800	69,000	-0.3%	-0.8%
TRADE	84,600	84,000	84,900	83,400	89,000	-6.3%	1.1%
TRANSPORTATION SERVICES	33,600	34,300	35,500	34,600	35,000	-1.0%	1.6%
FINANCE, INSURANCE, REAL ESTATE & LEASING	29,100	29,000	28,100	27,700	28,700	-3.6%	4.1%
PROFESSIONAL & ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES	40,400	43,000	43,800	43,100	41,200	4.6%	2.5%
EDUCATION & HEALTH SERVICES	114,000	114,800	119,000	115,900	113,600	2.0%	4.6%
INFORMATION, CULTURE & RECREATION	23,300	22,200	23,000	22,700	24,700	-8.0%	-1.5%
ACCOMMODATION & OTHER SERVICES	66,200	68,400	62,700	69,000	60,400	14.3%	2.5%
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION	34,100	35,300	35,000	32,400	34,400	-5.8%	4.1%
TOTAL: ALL INDUSTRIES	563,700	572,000	568,400	568,900	565,800	0.5%	2.3%
TOTAL: GOODS PRODUCING	138,500	141,100	136,500	140,200	139,100	0.8%	1.5%
TOTAL: SERVICE PRODUCING	425,200	430,900	431,900	428,700	426,700	0.5%	2.6%

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